

FANG-OR

Freakishly-Fanged Snake Men Warrior



BIO A vicious member of the Snake Men who could regrow his massive fangs after projecting them like knives in battle, Fang-Or first beheld the glory and power of technology in an early battle with the Horde Empire. On Eternia, he volunteered to assist the transformed Snake Man-At-Arms so he could learn how to build more advanced weaponry and vehicles like the Rattle Trap for the Viper Lord King Hssss. Quickly becoming a mechanical expert, Fang-Or was able to access the technology of the Cosmic Key from Gwildor, allowing him and several of the Snake Men to survive the Second Ultimate Battleground by journeying to Trolla where they became vassals of Lady Slither, another of the Viper Lords of the Unnamed One. Later, Fang-Or mobilized Lady Slither's Snake Lair to help them escape capture on Trolla when He-Man defeated the Revenge Squad. After years adrift between dimensions, the Lair settled on Eternia where they set out to use sorcery and science to reverse the Spell of Separation and restore the Snake Men after the Unnamed One's demise.

FROM PAGE TO PLASTIC Fang-Or made his debut appearance in the 2012 mini-comic "The Powers of Grayskull Part Three: Battle for the Fate of the Universe!", which shipped with the Dragon Blaster Skeletor figure.



HEADS UP True to his name, Fang-Or's alternate head depicted the character with his fangs extended.



WELL ARMED Fang-Or also came armed with a sword for those times when King Hssss let him out of the garage.



ACCESSORIES



MOTUC #231 • AFFILIATION The Snake Men • **SUBSCRIPTION** N/A • **PRICE** \$35
• ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE Super7.com (March 2018) • **RELEASE TYPE** Carded Figure

SAY HELLO TO MY LITTLE FRIEND Fang-Or's final accessory was this winged serpent, which was sculpted to fit across his shoulders.



TRIVIA

The four figures in Super7's first wave of Collectors Choice figures — Fang-Or, Hawke, Lodar, and Quakke — were put up for pre-order in May of 2017. They began shipping to collectors in March of 2018.



Fang-Or was the first character completely original to the Masters of the Universe Classics mini-comics to be given its own action figure.

Fang-Or utilized the shoulders, biceps, torso, and upper legs of the original King Hssss figure, He-Ro's boot tops, and Skeletor's feet. His head(s), forearms, hands, and shorts were new.

The name and official bio for Ssssyph (Fang-Or's bat/snake "friend") was revealed on He-Man.org on July 22, 2019 (see page 589).

All four of the first wave of Super7's Collectors Choice figures had cardbacks that showcased Fang-Or, Hawke, Lodar, Quake, and the Club Grayskull figures Hordak, Man-At-Arms, Teela, and Tri-Klops, as well as a new illustration of the featured character.

WHAT A TOOL Like a true mechanic, Fang-Or came with a wrench, hammer, and screwdriver, all of them snake-themed. The wrench and hammer both sported snake heads, and the handle of the screwdriver was a rattlesnake's rattle.



HAWKE

Heroic Feathered Fighter



BIO Stern and brave, Hawke was the sister of Stratos and served as his second-in-command. Like other Avionians, Hawke could fly and had wings which grew from her forearms. Seeing Avion as a strategic source of power, Skeletor sent Evil-Lyn there and ordered her to disguise herself as an injured Avionian. When Hawke attempted to help her, Evil-Lyn hypnotized the noble warrior. Under Evil-Lyn's influence, Hawke sabotaged Avion's defenses and framed her brother and his wife Delora for the deed. Disaster was averted when Hawke broke free from Evil-Lyn's spell, but many distrusted her following the incident. After Stratos' death, Avion refused to name Hawke as its leader and chose Avionian General Tufos instead. Unbeknownst to all, Tufos was secretly in league with the fanatical Order of Damon and planned to offer Avion's sacred Golden Egg in tribute. When Hawke exposed his plan, Tufos was banished and Hawke was finally selected to lead Avion. She did so for several years until the Reawakening returned Stratos and many others to the land of the living. Hawke stepped down to seek adventure outside Avion, returning regularly to fight alongside her brother.



CARTOON CORNER Hawke made her first and only cartoon appearance in "Betrayal of Stratos," a second-season episode of the Filmation *He-Man and the Masters of the Universe* cartoon. Plot points

from this episode were included in the figure's bio, although several key details were changed. Nowhere in the episode was it indicated that Hawke was Stratos' sister; only when Hawke was reintroduced in the 200x reboot cartoon series did the two characters become siblings.



ACCESSORIES



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DUAL IDENTITY The alternate head included with Hawke transformed the figure into the Avionian named Delora, who was introduced in the episode “The Monster Within,” which actually aired prior to Hawke’s episode.

Aside from their hair color, Delora and Hawke looked identical, and both characters made only one Filmation cartoon appearance. Unlike Hawke, Delora’s episode clearly established her as Stratos’ sister. Adding to the Hawke/Delora confusion was the fact that the vintage mini-comic “Siege of Avion,” which predated the Filmation cartoon series, introduced a character named Delora who was not only Stratos’ wife, but was also a human.

IT’S A GAS > Several Avionians fired this “smoke screen gun” in the Filmation episode “Betrayal of Stratos,” although Hawke herself was never shown using it.



WELL ARMED Hawke’s sword may have been based on the design of the blade carried by Hawke in the 200x MYP MOTU cartoon.

DELORA

Heroic Wife of Stratos

Originally a healer from the village of Colmay, Delora met and fell in love with the winged warrior lord Stratos when he saved her home from attacking Torgs. Stratos returned her affections, and eventually the two married in Avion. Self-conscious because of her inability to fly on her own, Delora still strove to protect Avion when Skeletor and his army of monstrous Illkorts stole the Emerald Staff of Avion, thus trapping the Avionian people in their mountain city. Delora retrieved the staff from him in battle but was gravely injured by Skeletor’s diabolical ally Haramesh.

To heal her, Stratos and Hawke took her before the golden Egg of Avion, but the magic of the Egg and the Staff combined to both heal her wounds and also give her the Avionians’ power of flight. Fiercely loyal, Delora helped her “wing sister” Hawke save Avion from the tyrannical Tufos after Stratos fell in the Ultimate Battleground. Delora was also the mother of Stratos’ son Atmoss, whom she raised alone until Stratos returned to her in the Reawakening.



TRIVIA

An error in production caused this figure’s head to sit too low on her neck (see packaged picture below). This issue has been corrected in the pictures used on these pages.



This was the first time in MOTUC that an alternate head was included with a figure in order to transform it into a completely different character.

Like Club Grayskull Teela, Hawke sported a twist at the chest instead of the waist. In fact, the figure appeared to share many parts with the CG Teela figure.

The faux-leather strap on the smoke screen gun allowed the figure to carry it on her back. This was only the second use of “soft goods” in MOTUC, the first being Eternos Palace King Randor’s necklace.

The official bio for Delora (“Heroic Wife of Stratos”) was revealed on He-Man.org on October 8, 2018.



LODAR

Evil Master of Celestial Magic



ACCESSORIES



BIO Lodar was a battle-scarred gladiator in the Preternian slave city of Targa when he stole magic from a sympathetic Zodac, forever gaining the ability to draw power from the sun and moons of Eternia. Nearly invincible, Lodar soon conquered Targa, intending to free its slaves, but power quickly corrupted him. He amused himself by creating the hideous but devoted Kobold warriors and pitting his subjects against them in the arena where he once fought. During the Great Wars, a disappointed Zodac helped King Grayskull liberate Targa and trap Lodar with his Kobolds in the catacombs beneath the city. With Lodar's remaining power, they endured motionless for thousands of years until Queen Balina and her wizard Draca freed them, exposing Lodar again to the Eternian sun. In return he helped them usurp the Targan throne from Balina's step-daughter Princess Rana, turning Targa once more into a slave city. Eventually Rana sought out He-Man, who fought Lodar's warriors in the arena before persuading them to join forces and overthrow Balina, driving Lodar back into the catacombs.



FROM PAGE TO PLASTIC

Lodar made his first and only appearance in the vintage mini-comic "Slave City!" in 1984, where he served as the story's main villain, having taken over the city of Targa with his army of Kobolds and enslaving the population.

SAME AS Lodar utilized the standard smooth male torso, shoulders, left bicep, and upper legs, along with Demo-Man's calves and Club Grayskull He-Man's hands. His head, right bicep, shorts and feet appeared to be newly sculpted. By using Club Grayskull He-Man's hands, Lodar had hinge-and-swivel wrists, a point of articulation that most MOTUC figures lacked.



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• ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE Super7.com (March 2018) • RELEASE TYPE Carded Figure



BREAK THE CHAIN Lodar's shackles and chains accessory was based on the shackles used on He-Man in the "Slave City!" mini-comic.

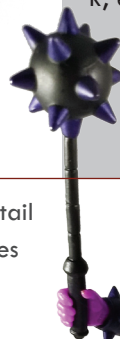


TRIVIA

Lodar's armor, which was thinner and softer than the armor of previous MOTUC figures, was not removable.



In the "Slave City!" mini-comic, Lodar was originally going to be named "Zodak." By the time the comic's author discovered that there was already a character in MOTU named "Zodac," the comic needed to go to print, so it was quickly altered by changing Z to L and K to R, effectively renaming the character "Lodar."



This mini-comic was an adaptation of an episode of "A Tale of Two Cities," the 31st episode of the Filmation MOTU cartoon.



< RUNNING MATE One nice detail that was easy to miss was the spikes on the bottom of the figure's feet.



TASTE THE MACE Lodar's mace was based on the weapon the character used in the "Slave City!" mini-comic.



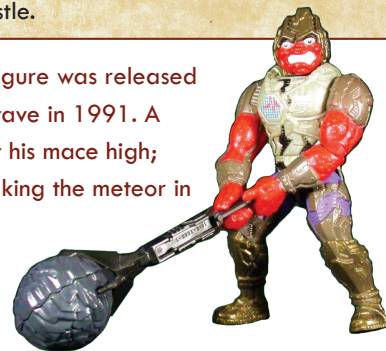
QUAKKE

Evil Meteor Smashing Mutant



BIO The gruff Mutant Quakke was greatly feared for his Grabatron Meteormace, a remarkable weapon he constructed using a strange meteor fragment that he discovered in the Regula Mountain Range of Denebria. When smashed against the ground, the Meteormace caused effects which varied from small tremors to devastating, localized earthquakes. Quakke served Flogg as the chief Helmsman aboard the Mutant Mothership, and although he was surly in demeanor, he often found immense humor in the dim-wittedness of his comrade Butthead. Quakke was initially mistrustful of Skeletor upon the mage's arrival on Denebria and tried to undermine Skeletor's authority by presenting him with the uncontrollable creature Grrr as a pet. Skeletor instantly tamed the feral beast, which cowered in its new master's presence. After witnessing this, Quakke realized it was in his best interest to respect Skeletor's power. During the Battle of Fetra IV, Quakke saw that defeat was imminent and joined the Mutant Crystall in his escape pod. The two eventually landed on the planet Etheria where they failed on a misguided attempt to seize the Crystal Castle.

VINTAGE VAULT The vintage Quakke figure was released as part of the "He-Man" toyline's third wave in 1991. A lever on the figure's back made him hoist his mace high; releasing it made him slam it down, breaking the meteor in two pieces on the ground.



ACCESSORIES



UPDATE The MOTUC Quakke was a very faithful update of

the original figure while also bringing him into the MOTUC aesthetic. Much attention was paid to the original figure's many dents, details, and colors, all the way down to the seismogram display on his chest.

MOTUC #234 • AFFILIATION The Space Mutants • **SUBSCRIPTION** N/A • **PRICE** \$35
• ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE Super7.com (March 2018) • **RELEASE TYPE** Carded Figure

TASTE THE MACE > Quakke's "Grabatron Meteormace" was a nicely updated version of the vintage accessory. Quakke's hands were sculpted to hold the staff portion of the accessory, with his left hand toward the top and his right toward the bottom.

TRIVIA

Quakke's armor was not removable.

Quakke and Tuskador were the only MOTUC figures from the third wave of the "He-Man" toylines.



PIECES Like the vintage version of the Grabatron Meteormace, the meteor portion of the accessory was a separate piece. Three divots in the meteor piece allowed it to be gripped by the end of the staff.

BALL BUSTER Quakke's meteor could be split into two pieces, revealing detailed circuitry inside. The two pieces were held together with simple friction and were easy to pop apart.



SAME AS Aside from his torso (hidden underneath his armor) and biceps, Quakke appeared to be made entirely of newly-sculpted parts. He ended up being one of the most heavily detailed and asymmetrical figures in the entire MOTUC line, and his unique design certainly didn't lend itself well to parts reuse from previously released figures.



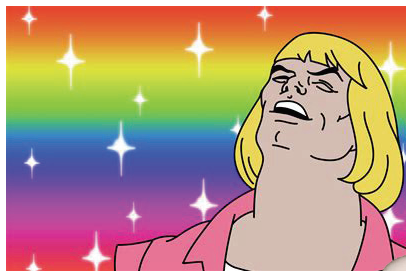
Club Grayskull

PRINCE ADAM

Laughing "Secret Identity" of He-Man

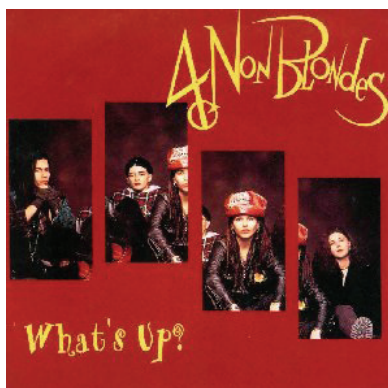


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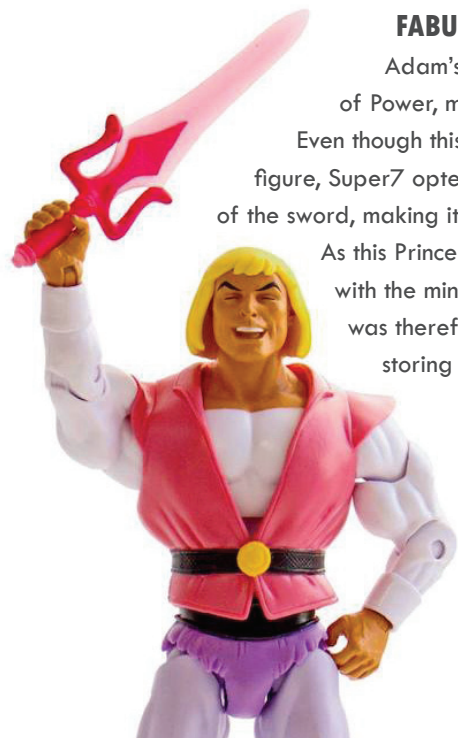
STRANGE BEGINNINGS

In 2005, a group of animators known as "Slackcircus" created a video called "Fabulous Secret Powers," featuring animation from the *Filmation Masters of the Universe* cartoon set to a cover of the 4 Non Blondes hit song "What's Up?". The video went on to become an internet meme, with an edited version of the animation garnering over 145 million views on YouTube as of December 2018. The video made abundant use of the familiar stock footage of Prince Adam/He-Man throwing back his head and laughing. Super7 paid homage to this viral video by releasing a special "laughing" Prince Adam figure as an exclusive at San Diego Comic-Con in the summer of 2018.



WHAT'S GOING ON?! "What's Up?" was a single from American rock group 4 Non Blondes' 1992 debut album, *Bigger, Better, Faster, More!* It was released as the album's second single in 1993, becoming a hit in the United States and in several European countries. It was the biggest hit of the group's short-lived career.

MOTUC #235 • AFFILIATION Heroic Warriors • SUBSCRIPTION N/A • PRICE \$35
ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE San Diego Comic-Con (July 19-22, 2018) • RELEASE TYPE Boxed Figure



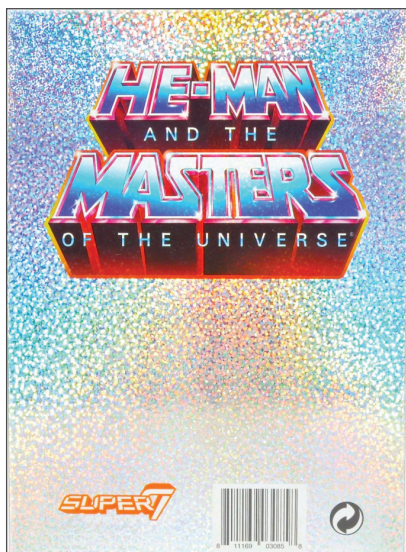
FABULOUS SECRET POWERS

Prince Adam's only accessory was the Sword of Power, molded in translucent pink plastic. Even though this was technically a Club Grayskull figure, Super7 opted to go with the MOTUC version of the sword, making its 23rd appearance in the toylines. As this Prince Adam figure shared its vest sculpt with the mini-comic Prince Adam figure, there was therefore a loop on the figure's back for storing the sword.

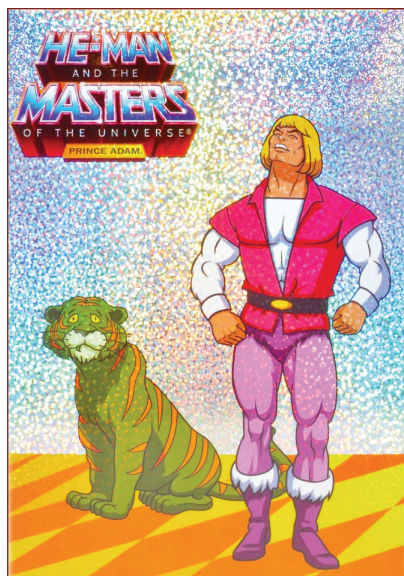


NICE PACKAGE The outer box for the figure was identical to the packaging previously used on other Club Grayskull figures, except here it was given a glittery, prism-like finish.

SO SHINY The back of the figure's outer box, which sported the logo from the Filmation *He-Man and the Masters of the Universe* cartoon, also had a glittery, reflective surface. This shiny finish was continued on the figure's inner packaging as well. No doubt this look was inspired by the viral video, which heavily featured rainbows and sparkles.



WORK OF ART While previous Club Grayskull figures were given a brief bio, Prince Adam did not come with one. Instead he was given an illustration where he was seen laughing while his pal Cringer looked on.



TRIVIA

"Laughing" Prince Adam's head was not removable. Many fans were annoyed by this, as it meant they could not swap in a "serious" He-Man head and thus create a Filmation Prince Adam figure.



The tagline "Laughing 'Secret Identity' of He-Man" did not appear on this figure's packaging. It was instead revealed on the cardbacks to the Club Grayskull "Ultimate" He-Man and Skeletor figures released by Super7 in 2019.

The figure's only new part was his head. His body came from the Club Grayskull He-Man figure, his vest from the MOTUC mini-comic Prince Adam figure, and his sword from MOTUC King Grayskull / He-Man.

While Club Grayskull He-Man was given a special side-to-side hinge wrist for his iconic "sword aloft" pose, Prince Adam was given the standard up-and-down hinge wrist instead.

After the conclusion of San Diego Comic-Con, this figure was made available for non-attendees to purchase on Super7's website.



STRIDOR

Heroic Armored War Horse



BIO Stridor was the first of a new cavalry of robotic steeds created by Man-At-Arms after he modified Preternian schematics discovered by the archaeologist Melaktha. Augmented with enhanced speed and equipped with forward and rear-facing cannons, Stridor was a formidable ground transport. Man-At-Arms gave Stridor an artificial intelligence with the capacity to learn from his experiences so that he could better serve his heroic masters. As a result, Stridor learned self-sacrifice and heroism from He-Man. During a battle with the evil Wizard Morgoth, Stridor sacrificed himself to help destroy Morgoth's magic gem. He-Man carried the seemingly irreparably damaged steed all the way to Castle Grayskull where the Sorceress and Man-At-Arms determined that Stridor had absorbed magic that gave him a living spirit and miraculously repaired his damage. Set free, Stridor later befriended the heroic Fisto and carried him into battle many times against their rivals, the warlord Jitsu and his evil robotic steed Night Stalker.

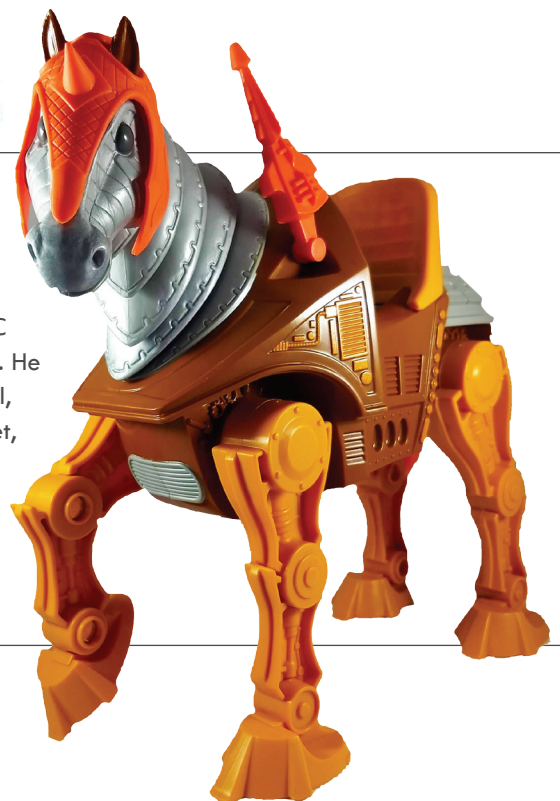


VINTAGE VAULT The vintage Stridor was released in Wave 3 of the original Masters of the Universe toyline in 1984. The mechanical steed was released both individually and in a 2-pack with Fisto.



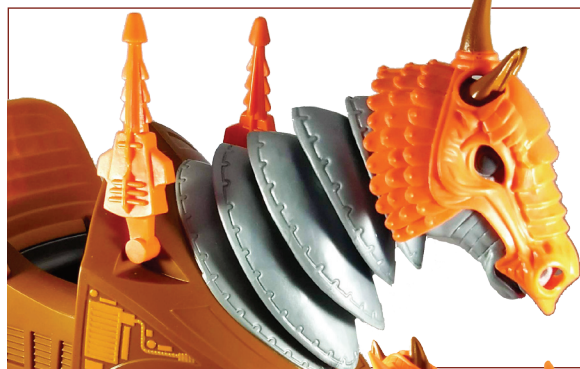
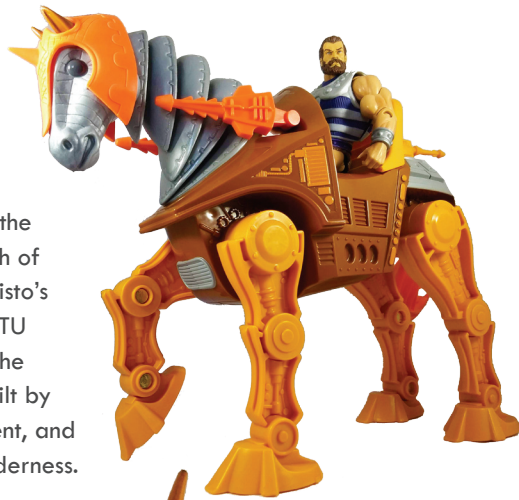
HORSING AROUND

Unlike his static vintage predecessor, which was only articulated at the guns and tail, the MOTUC Stridor was fully posable. He was articulated at the tail, guns, legs, knees, and feet, as well as having four points of articulation at the neck, allowing the figure to turn, lower and raise its head.



MOTUC #236 • AFFILIATION The Heroic Warriors • **SUBSCRIPTION** Collectors Choice 2016 • **PRICE** \$60
• **ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE** Super7.com (August 2018) • **RELEASE TYPE** Boxed Beast

DYNAMIC DUO Because the pair were released in a 2-pack in the vintage toyline, many fans consider Stridor to be Fisto's steed. The mechanical horse's only media appearances include the vintage mini-comic "The Clash of Arms," where he served as Fisto's steed, and the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode "Origin of the Sorceress," where he was built by Man-At-Arms, became sentient, and was set free to roam the wilderness.



HATS OFF Stridor came not only with an updated version of his vintage helmet, which was removable, but also a re-release of Night Stalker's helmet cast in orange plastic.

SIZE MATTERS The figure stood approximately 10" tall and was about 16" long.



POSABILITY For all his size and heft, the figure had all the articulation necessary to be posed on his hind legs.

IN THE DETAILS Because Stridor shared parts with the previously-released Night Stalker, some of the sculpting for Stridor was inaccurate, such as the mechanical detailing along the horse's sides where a crest should have been.



TRIVIA

The following copy was written for Stridor's sales page on super7hq.com: "The Masters of the Universe Collectors Choice line continues with Stridor! By popular demand, Man-At-Arms' cybernetic creation, the Heroic Armored Warhorse that carried the mighty Fisto into battle is finally coming to life! Now is your chance to tame the mighty steed before he gallops off forever. Stridor measures approximately 10-inches tall with multiple points of articulation and comes armored with BOTH the classic helmet and the Night Stalker helmet!"



The original packaging for Stridor did not feature a bio for the character. Stridor's official bio was finally released on-line at He-Man.org on February 25, 2019.

When Super7 first revealed images of the forthcoming Stridor figure, they did not include pictures of his vintage helmet, temporarily leaving collectors worried that the package wouldn't include it, as it would be a newly-tooled piece.

Stridor retailed for \$60. Night Stalker, which was released just two years prior, retailed for \$40.

Pictured on the back of Stridor's box were Fang-Or, Hawke, Lodar, Quakke, Wrap Trap, Granita, Karg, and Dylamug.



Club Grayskull CHOPPER



ACCESSORIES



BIO Chopper, the silent, stocky member of the Evil Warriors, was present during the acquisition by Skeletor of the Dragon Pearl and subsequent attempt to overthrow Castle Grayskull. Aside from having above average strength, Chopper's main attribute lies in his large right hand, which is immensely powerful. In battle Chopper could fell an opponent with a single chop. Despite his brute strength, Chopper was rarely utilized by Skeletor, with the Evil Lord of Destruction relying on his more familiar henchmen.



CARTOON CORNER Jitsu was introduced into the vintage Masters of the Universe toylines as part of the third series of figures in 1984.

However, he made his debut on the Filmation MOTU cartoon a year earlier in one of the show's earliest episodes, "The Dragon Invasion." His design differed from his subsequent action figure, most notably his enlarged right hand, which was bare instead of gold.

The character's name in the cartoon series bible was Chopper, although he was never called this (or any other name) on-screen. He only spoke one line and was never seen again in

any subsequent episodes. Chopper, along with Club Grayskull Spikor and a two-pack of Dree Elle and Uncle Montork, was released as an exclusive at Power-Con in September of 2018.

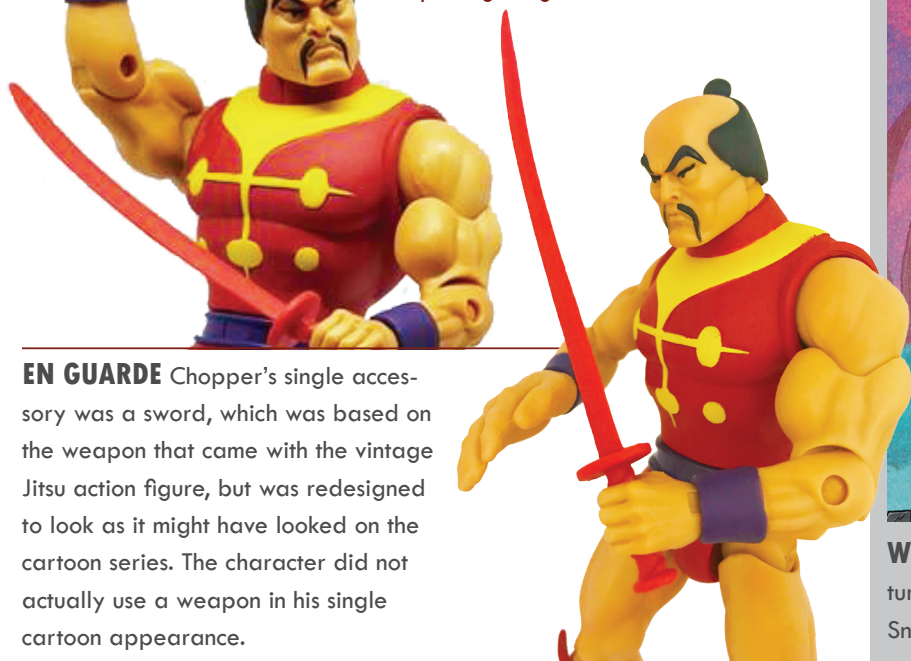


MOTUC #237 • AFFILIATION Evil Warriors • SUBSCRIPTION N/A • PRICE \$50
ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE Power-Con (August 25-26, 2018) • RELEASE TYPE Boxed Figure

I CAN SEE CLEARLY The Chopper figure had painted pupils, a detail that he lacked in his cartoon appearance. Both the original prototype for the figure as well as the illustration on the back of his packaging lacked pupils, which was more screen-accurate. Many collectors theorized that pupils were added to make the character appear less stereotypical.



GIMME A HAND Chopper of course sported an oversized right hand, perfect for picking a fight with Ram Man.



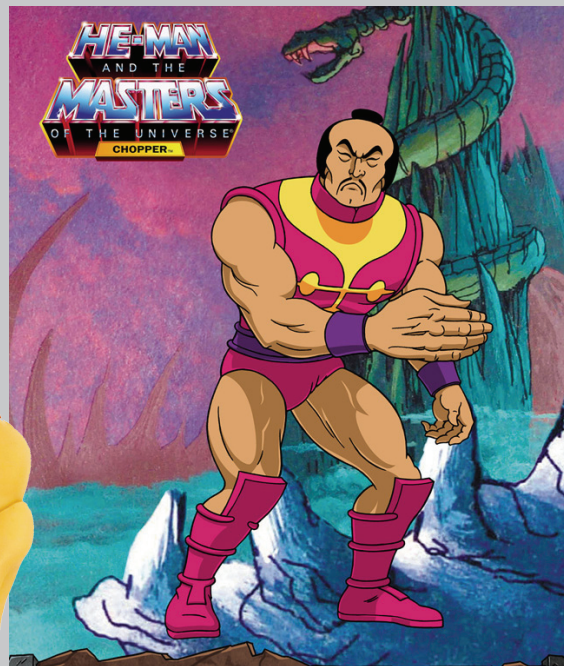
EN GARDE Chopper's single accessory was a sword, which was based on the weapon that came with the vintage Jitsu action figure, but was redesigned to look as it might have looked on the cartoon series. The character did not actually use a weapon in his single cartoon appearance.



COMPARISON TIME Club Grayskull Chopper (above, left) standing alongside the original MOTUC Jitsu figure (above, right).

TRIVIA

Chopper's armor was actually a newly-sculpted torso and was therefore not removable. It lacked ab crunch articulation.



WORK OF ART The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of Chopper standing in front of Snake Mountain.



Club Grayskull DREE ELLE



BIO Travelling between Trolla and Eternia in a Magic Pyramid, Dree Elle is more commonly known as the girlfriend of Orko. The pair declared their love for one another shortly after they first met. Dree Elle is an emotional individual and will not hesitate to let people know her thoughts and opinions. In moments of desperation, she has even displayed magical powers. Dree Elle spends most of her time on Trolla, taking care of her younger brother Yukkers and watching over Orko's uncle, Montork.



CARTOON CORNER

Dree Elle was a character created for the Filmation MOTU cartoon.

A Trollan like Orko, she made her

debut in the 20th episode of the series, "Dawn of Dragoon."

She went on to appear in three additional episodes of the MOTU cartoon. Dree Elle also appeared in the Filmation POP episode "The Greatest Magic," and had a cameo appearance in *He-Man and She-Ra: A Christmas Special*.



ACCESSORIES



TAKE A STAND The bases for Dree Elle's and Uncle Montork's stands were wider than the one that came with Orko, and the stand itself was silver instead of clear. A ball at the end of the stand inserted into the figure, allowing for various poses.

MOTUC #238A • AFFILIATION None • SUBSCRIPTION N/A • PRICE \$50
ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE Power-Con (August 25-26, 2018) • RELEASE TYPE Boxed 2-Pack



QUITE THE PAIR

Dree Elle and Uncle Montork were released as a two-pack exclusive to Power-Con in August of 2018 alongside Club Grayskull Chopper and Spikor. Originally intended to be part of the

regular Masters of the Universe Classics line, it was ultimately decided that the pair would be released in Club Grayskull packaging, making them the first characters to have their figures debut in the CG line without first being released in Classics.

ABRA CADABRA Dree Elle's wand, which had never appeared in any previous media, was designed to resemble the wand that came with the Orko figure, the key differences being the color (purple instead of gold) and the initial "D" at the top where Orko's had an "O."



TOGETHER AT LAST

It was eight years, one month between the releases of Orko and Dree Elle in MOTUC.

DREE ELLE Heroic Trollan Maiden

A compassionate Trollan who first arrived on Eternia via the Magic Pyramid, Dree Elle developed a deep bond with Orko after a terrifying encounter with then-villain Dragoon. Dree Elle later played a key role in overcoming the horrors unleashed by the Horn of Evil and bravely helped defeat the nefarious Dr. Zoog. Along with her brother, Yukkors, Dree Elle led an exodus from Trolla when Lady Slither and the violent Revenge Squad invaded. Thanks to Dree Elle's noble efforts, many Trollans found refuge on nearby Moon Schemorr. There, Dree Elle encountered Dragoon once again and convinced the mighty warrior to join the Defenders of Trolla. Years later, Dree Elle returned to Eternia where she was reunited with her beloved "Orko the Great."



TRIVIA

Dree Elle and Uncle Montork were originally planned to be released in the Masters of the Universe Classics line, but ultimately it was decided to release them in Club Grayskull instead, but not before bios for both characters (written to fit in Classics canon) had already been written. The Classics bio for Dree Elle ("Heroic Trollan Maiden," bottom left) was revealed on He-Man.org March 11, 2019.



WORK OF ART The back of the packaging for this 2-pack box featured an illustration of Dree Elle and Uncle Montork floating in front of Castle Grayskull, as well as bios for both characters.



Club Grayskull UNCLE MONTORK



BIO Montork serves as the head of the Academy of Magic on Trolla, accountable only to the Crimson Council. His unequivocal kindness and warmth endears him to everyone he meets. Montork is one of the most powerful magicians on Trolla, and taught his nephew Orko every trick that he knows. Both Orko and Montork share an incredibly strong bond, and the pair will go to great lengths to ensure each other's safety. Montork sees a great deal of his own youth in his excitable nephew.



CARTOON CORNER Uncle

Montork was a character created for the Filmation MOTU cartoon. A Trollan like Orko, he made

his debut in the 23rd episode of the series, "The Return of Orko's Uncle" (which was produced, oddly, before "Orko's Favorite Uncle," which served as Montork's introduction to the series). He went on to appear in two additional episodes of the MOTU cartoon. Montork also appeared in the Filmation POP episode "The Greatest Magic," and had a cameo appearance in *He-Man and She-Ra: A Christmas Special*.



ACCESSORIES



TAKE A STAND Uncle

Montork's flight stand was identical to Dree Elle's. The ball at the top of the stand was difficult to insert into the figure itself, and so the two-pack came with instructions (next page) for heating up the figures in order to make the plastic more pliable, thereby making the insertion of the stand easier.

MOTUC #238B • AFFILIATION None • SUBSCRIPTION N/A • PRICE \$50
ORIGINAL FIGURE RELEASE Power-Con (August 25-26, 2018) • RELEASE TYPE Boxed 2-Pack



TRIO OF TROLLANS In spite of the consistent fan demand for more Trollans in Masters of the Universe Classics, it took more than eight years from the release of Orko for Uncle Montork and Dree Elle to finally be released.



ABRA CADABRA Montork's wand, which had never appeared in any previous media, was designed to resemble the wand that came with the Orko figure, the key differences being the color (yellow instead of gold) and the initial "M" at the top where Orko's had an "O."

REUNITED There was approximately a 35 year gap between Uncle Montork's debut episode and his first appearance in plastic.



UNCLE MONTORK

Heroic Favorite Uncle of Orko

Head of the Magic Academy on Trolla and favorite uncle to Orko, Uncle Montork was one of Trolla's greatest magicians. Although a prodigy instructed by Za-Gras, leader of the Overlords, Montork turned down an emeritus seat on the ruling Crimson Council. He intended to guide the new owner of

the Sword of He on Eternia, but Orko accidentally took his place. Trusting his nephew had a great destiny, Montork enjoyed a short-lived retirement with his peaceful friend Gark, but the antics of his wayward former student Azrog forced him back into action. Foreseeing the invasion of the Unnamed One, Montork assembled the Defenders of Trolla to keep the Overlords' secrets safe. He later shared all of his knowledge of the Overlords with Orko when the new Elders remade Castle Grayskull.

TRIVIA

Uncle Montork's scarf and beard, which were made from a very soft plastic, were all one piece, and had a tendency to stay in one place even when his head was turned.



Both Dree Elle and Uncle Montork featured articulation at the neck, shoulders, elbows, and wrists. Their heads were not removable.

Orko's flight stand was slightly taller than the stands that came with Dree Elle and Montork, which made him "hover" slightly higher than the other two Trollans.

Dree Elle and Uncle Montork were originally planned to be released in the Masters of the Universe Classics line, but ultimately it was decided to release them in Club Grayskull instead, but not before bios for both characters (written to fit in Classics canon) had already been written. The Classics bio for Uncle Montork ("Heroic Favorite Uncle of Orko," below, left) was revealed on He-Man.org on March 4, 2019.



POWER-CON DREE ELLE & UNCLE MONTORK

ASSEMBLY TIPS



1. Carefully heat the base of the figure with a hair dryer (or dunk the base of the figure into extremely hot water if you prefer) to soften the plastic.



2. Gently work the ball of the figure stand into the softened socket. If the resistance is too much, you may need to heat the plastic further.



3. These same steps work to remove and replace the stands for both the Dree Elle and the Uncle Montork figure, or to seat weapons that are difficult to place into hands.

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ARTWORK BY AXEL GIMENEZ

Club Grayskull SPIKOR



BIO With a majority of his body covered in spikes, Spikor could be regarded as one of the most imposing villains on the planet of Eternia. His physicality, combined with a trident that he occasionally wields, makes Spikor one of the most intimidating henchmen of Skeletor. However, his threatening appearance is completely neutralized by his odd speech pattern, arrogance, naivety, and utter lack of maturity. Spikor's stupidity amuses his fellow Evil Warriors, whilst causing great frustration to Skeletor on more than one occasion.



CARTOON CORNER Spikor appeared in a total of three episodes of the Filmation MOTU cartoon ("The Gambler", "Visitors from Earth" and "The Games"), where he was written as quite dim-witted, and never once did he actually use his spikes. In only one episode ("Visitors from Earth") did he use his trident hand; otherwise he was depicted with two normal hands.



ACCESSORIES



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HANDLE WITH CARE The Club Grayskull Spikor's spikes were actually quite sharp, unlike the original-release MOTUC Spikor, which featured soft rubber spikes with rounded tips.



JOIN THE CLUB Spikor's single accessory was a club, which was based on the weapon that came with the vintage Spikor action figure, but was redesigned to look as it might have looked on the cartoon series. The character did not actually use a weapon in his cartoon appearances.

GIMME A HAND Even though the cartoon most frequently depicted Spikor with two normal hands, the figure only came with his trident left hand. The original release MOTUC Spikor came with a normal left hand that could be swapped with his trident.



COMPARISON TIME Club Grayskull Spikor (above, left) standing alongside the original MOTUC Spikor figure (above, right).

TRIVIA

Spikor's armor was actually a newly-sculpted torso and was therefore not removable. It lacked ab crunch articulation.

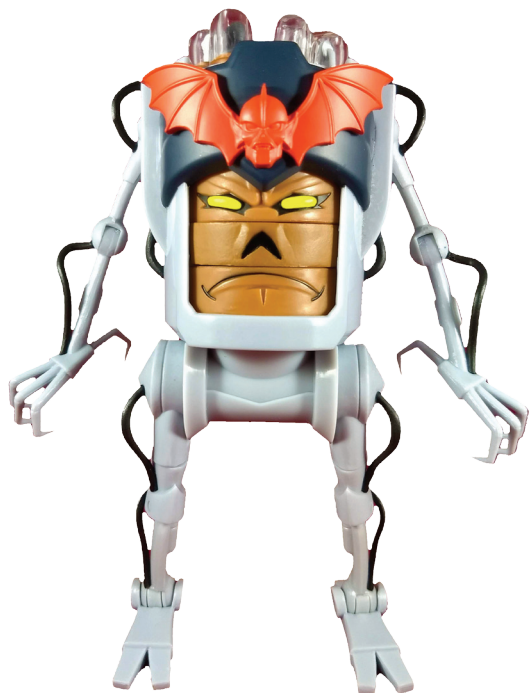


WORK OF ART The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of Spikor standing in front of Snake Mountain.



DYLAMUG

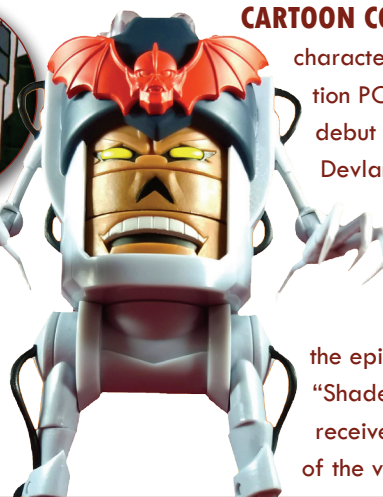
Evil Robot with Endless Expressions



BIO Dylamug was once a diplomat droid from the planet Robotica when Hordak captured and reprogrammed him. Where Dylamug had once been erudite and civil, Hordak made him hedonistic and malevolent. To demoralize the population of Etheria, Hordak set Dylamug loose with a gang of off-duty Horde Troopers to plunder the smaller villages that weren't vital to the operations of the Evil Horde. Although artificial, Dylamug's reprogramming made him delight in wicked acts, and he eagerly indulged his now numerous appetites. She-Ra and Bow led a resistance against Dylamug's mob at the village of Devlan, one of the first turning points for the Great Rebellion as many previously docile Etherians finally took up arms against the Horde. Despite his defeat, Dylamug continued to serve the Horde as Hordak's emissary to Horde World where he remained when Hordak left Etheria to conquer Eternia. After She-Ra slew Horde Prime, Dylamug saw the evil leader's dark spirit infect and incapacitate her. The evil robot then sold her to the Game Master to fight in the galactic arena as Despara.



CARTOON CORNER Dylamug was a character created for the Filmation POP cartoon. He made his debut in the episode "Duel at Devlan," the plot of which was referenced in the figure's official bio. He went on to make two subsequent appearances (in the episodes "The Inspector" and "Shades of Orko"). He never received an action figure in any of the vintage MOTU toy lines.



ACCESSORIES



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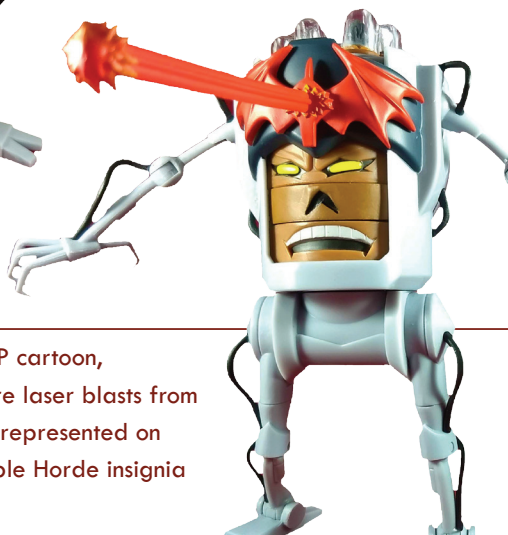


DIAL-A-MUG The figure's namesake action feature was brought to life via two spinning dials — one for the eyes and one for the mouth. The top dial featured three different eye expressions, while the bottom dial featured three different mouth expressions. (The center “nose” dial was static.) These two dials allowed for nine different facial expressions total. The dials spun freely and did not click in place.

BRANDED The Horde logo on Dylamug's forehead was removable. The logo shown at right was designed to match the logo on other Evil Horde figures in the MOTUC line.



DRAWN THAT WAY A second Evil Horde logo, designed to resemble the insignia sported by Dylamug in the Filmation POP cartoon, was also included.



BLAST IT In the Filmation POP cartoon, Dylamug had the ability to fire laser blasts from his forehead. This ability was represented on the figure by a third swappable Horde insignia with attached laser blast.

TRIVIA

The “light bulbs” on top of Dylamug's head were made from clear plastic. There were a total of nine different bulbs.



When the prototype for Dylamug was first revealed, the tubing on his left shoulder was “broken,” just as it appeared in the Filmation POP cartoon. This screen-accurate defect was, however, “fixed” on the production figure.

Dylamug was a 100% newly-sculpted figure, sharing no sculpting with any previously-released figure in the line.

Dylamug featured articulation at the shoulders, elbows, waist, hips, knees, and ankles.

A special call-out on the front of Dylamug's packaging made note of the tenth anniversary of Masters of the Universe Classics (2008-2018).

Featured on Dylamug's cardback were Granita, Karg, Wrap Trap, and the following Club Grayskull figures: Man-E-Faces, the Sorceress, Mer-Man, and Tung Lashor.



GRANITA

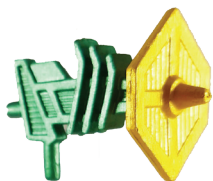
Heroic Comet Combatant



BIO Granita and her brother Rokkon were raised by their wise mentor and leader Stonedar on the planet Geolon until it was destroyed by Horde Prime. Although the Comet Warriors were scattered in space, Granita followed Stonedar, who had saved their precious Sun Stone and with it led them to the safety of another planet: Eternia. Upon landing, Granita was horrified to learn the Evil Horde were in the process of invading. While Rokkon was eager to fight as always, Granita believed that higher powers had intended them to help spare Eternia from the same fate as Geolon. Her faith persuaded the pacifist Stonedar to choose to fight alongside the Eternians. After the Second Ultimate Battleground, Glimmer invited Granita and many of the Comet Warriors' youth to Etheria where they could access Crystal World and develop new forms and powers. Alongside the Star Sisters and Queen Zal of Zal-Kron, Granita defended the barrier from Shadow Weaver and others seeking to steal Crystal World's magic. Later, Stonedar named Granita as his successor to lead their people.



ACCESSORIES



CARTOON CORNER Granita was a character created for the Filmation POP cartoon. She made her debut in the episode "The Rock People," and subsequently made only one other appearance (in the episode "The Light of the Crystal"). While her fellow Rock People Rokkon and Stonedar had both received action figures in the vintage MOTU toyline, Granita had never received a figure until Masters of the Universe Classics.



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GUNS OUT Just like the guns that came with Rokkon and Stonedar, Granita's gun could either be held in her hand or attached to her mid-section.



MORE THAN MEETS THE EYE The rock pieces on Granita's arms, back and legs were removable, while the piece on her head was not. A sixth rock piece was required to complete her full rock form.

ALTERNATE VIEWS

Like Hawke before her, Granita continued the new trend of dropping waist articulation in favor of a swivel at the chest. She appeared to utilize parts from previously-released female figures, including her shoulders, hands, upper legs, and feet.



TRIVIA

It is worth noting that transforming Granita into her rock form was much more difficult and not nearly as seamless as it had been with Rokkon and Stonedar.



Ad copy for Granita referred to her gun as a Refraction Laser.



WORK OF ART The back of Granita's packaging featured all-new artwork for the character as well as a line-up of other figures currently available for Masters of the Universe Classics and Club Grayskull.



KARG

Evil Inquisitor with a Horrible Hook



BIO Karg loyally served Skeletor as the cruel interrogator of Snake Mountain, inspiring countless nightmares with his ghoulish countenance and razor-sharp hook. Karg's keen intelligence served him well in concocting all manner of creative methods to extract information from his "guests." Hapless captives were dragged into Snake Mountain's Doom Room by the Mintoran cyborg, Minox. There, Karg welcomed his victims with leering delight as he showcased his many tools. In addition to his duties as an interrogator, Karg was also a highly skilled bounty hunter, renowned for tracking down his quarry with a relentless determination that bordered on obsession. Notably, Karg once developed a disturbing fascination with Lieutenant Andra of the Eternian Royal Guard. Professing his ardor for her in a variety of twisted ways, Karg was eventually defeated by an enraged Andra at the Siege of Zot and sent to Prison Starr, where he remains. Karg's origins are shrouded in mystery, though it is rumored that he is of noble descent.

SILVER SCREEN Karg was a character created for the 1987 live-action *Masters of the Universe* movie. But unlike Blade, Gwildor, and Saurod, who also made their debuts in the MOTU movie, Karg was not given an action figure in the vintage toyline. Because of this, Mattel did not have the rights to produce a Karg figure in MOTUC, in spite of fan demand. Super7 finally delivered a Karg figure in 2018, although the figure's design was based on his appearance in the *Masters of the Universe Magazine* (issue 11 - Summer 1987), where he was depicted with green skin, blonde hair and red eyes, versus the film where he had grey skin, white hair and yellow eyes.



ACCESSORIES



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CUTS LIKE A KNIFE Karg's knife was based on the weapon the character was holding in a design illustration by William Stout (production designer on the 1987 *Masters of the Universe* movie), and later refined by illustrator Tom Bryski. Sales copy for the figure referred to this knife as Crucia, the Dagger of Agony. An official bio for this blade was revealed on He-Man.org on October 21, 2019.

GUNS OUT Karg's second accessory, which appeared to have been inspired by one of several guns used in the 1987 movie, was referred to in sales copy as a Fleshburner Laser Gun.



OFF THE HOOK Early prototype images of Karg depicted him sporting a hook with a serrated edge, similar to its look in the 1987 movie. The final figure's hook had a smooth edge, although the artwork on the back of the packaging still depicted the character with the jagged-edged hook.

CRUCIA, THE DAGGER OF AGONY

Ancient Evil Blade

Four thousand years before the birth of He-Man and She-Ra, Eternia fell into what became known as the Age of Sorrow. Little information remains about this mysterious time. Technology was all but forgotten, with scant remnants of broken laser weaponry left over from ancient wars. Those who dared question the rule of Eternia's cruel monarchs faced punishments meted out by the merciless executioner Blubbor, who utilized barbarities such as the Creeping Horak on his ill-fated victims. A single epic poem, entitled "The Defender's Crusade," survived the Age of Sorrow. According to the poem, the Dagger of Agony was created by the dark wizard Ramlin to murder the Sorcerer of Castle Grayskull. The poem goes on to relate the sad travails of Grayskull's champion Vykrion, descendant of Vikor and protector of the Sword of Power. It was this epic poem that inspired a young gladiator to take the original Vykrion's name and armor thousands of years later. Karg eventually acquired the infamous Dagger of Agony after a lengthy search. So enamored was he with the blade, that he lovingly dubbed it, "Crucia."



TRIVIA

There is more than one Karg in the MOTU canon. Another character named Karg, a pink, horned, dragon-like creature that belonged to the villain Azrog, appeared in the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode "The Return of Orko's Uncle."



WORK OF ART The back of Karg's packaging featured all-new artwork for the character as well as a line-up of other figures currently available for Masters of the Universe Classics and Club Grayskull.



WRAP TRAP

Monstrous Mummy of the Evil Horde



BIO The Sands of Time were once ruled by the mystic Kartan, whose disfigured priest Sibor secretly loved Kartan's daughter, Princess Naka-Ra. When Sibor finally expressed his feelings, things did not go well. Naka-Ra rejected Sibor and threatened to tell her father. Pleading, the frightening priest grabbed Naka-Ra's arm, but she misunderstood the gesture. A struggle ensued between the two and Naka-Ra was accidentally killed. A remorse-stricken Sibor then defiled the Temple of the Sun by attempting to raise Naka-Ra from the dead. Stopped by the Deathless Soldiers of Kartan, the priest was sentenced to an unspeakable fate. As Kartan read incantations from the Netherworld Scroll, Sibor was mummified alive. Eons later, Hordak and Shadow Weaver discovered Sibor's tomb and used the Netherworld Scroll to awaken the cursed mummy. Renamed Wrap Trap and controlled by the scroll, the undead creature served the Evil Horde with his inhuman strength and ability to strangle and ensnare victims in his enchanted bandages. Wrap Trap refused to attack She-Ra, however, for she was the very image of his long-lost Naka-Ra.

FROM CONCEPT TO CANON Wrap Trap was a concept character for the vintage MOTU toyline.

By all appearances an Evil Horde mummy, the character never made it past the concept stage in the vintage toyline, nor was he ever given an official name. It wasn't until 2018 that the character was finally given an official name as well as an action figure in the MOTUC toyline.



ACCESSORIES



BACK TO THE DRAWING BOARD Shown at left is the original concept drawing for the Horde Mummy. Note how closely the final MOTUC Wrap Trap figure followed the design of this early sketch, all the way down to the number and placement of his hanging bandages as well as his two Horde insignias.

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DON'T CROSS ME Like many members of the Evil Horde, Wrap Trap came armed with a crossbow. The newly-designed accessory had a distinctly Egyptian look to it with its gold and teal color scheme and scarab beetle design.

EN GARDE Wrap Trap's sword featured a curved blade and a gold hilt in the shape of a cobra's head. A bio for this blade — dubbed the Khopesh of Kartan — was revealed on He-Man.org on May 11, 2020.



ARTICULATE Wrap Trap was unusual among MOTUC figures in that he lacked a bicep swivel joint. He was instead given hinge-and-swivel elbows.

KHOPESH OF KARTAN

Cursed Sabre From the Past

Millennia before the birth of King Grayskull, the powerful mystic Kartan ruled the Sylcon people. Known by his allies as "Kartan the Magnificent," and by his enemies as "Kartan the Terrible," the wise but unforgiving ruler carried a mystical khopesh believed to have belonged to the last of the Ancients. In a gesture of friendship and trust, Kartan presented the sickle-sword to his devoted priest Sibor, but when the priest accidentally killed Kartan's daughter, the enraged ruler exacted his terrible revenge by having Sibor wrapped in mummy's bandages and buried alive. Condemning Sibor to living death for all eternity, Kartan placed his khopesh across the priest's chest and put a terrible curse upon it. It was said the khopesh would bring ruin to any who dared use the undead mummy for their own gain. Awakened eons later and dubbed Wrap Trap, the tormented creature became a magically controlled member of the Evil Horde, dragging the blighted saber by his side. Some claim it was Kartan's ancient curse that brought about the unexpected downfall of Hordak and his army in the Second Ultimate Battleground.



TRIVIA

Excluding the vintage toyline's unproduced Wave 7 figures (which later became MOTUC figures Strobo, Plasmar, Terroar, and Lord Gr'Asp), Wrap Trap was the first vintage concept character produced for MOTUC since Vykron in 2012.



WORK OF ART The back of Wrap Trap's packaging featured all-new artwork for the character as well as a line-up of other figures currently available for Masters of the Universe Classics and Club Grayskull.



Club Grayskull MAN-E-FACES



BIO The man who would come to be known as Man-E-Faces wandered the land of Eternia, taking advantage of those smaller than himself by using his face-changing ability to dominate them. After an encounter with Skeletor, however, he realized his own inner potential for good. Given the moniker “Man-E-Faces” by Orko, the once troubled individual went on to become Eternia’s greatest actor. Man-E-Faces uses his unique face-changing ability to impersonate anyone, allowing him to infiltrate the Evil Warriors in disguise.



CARTOON CORNER

Even though Man-E-Faces was an establishing character in the vintage MOTU

toyline, having

been released in Wave 2 in 1983, the character only made two appearances in the Filmation MOTU cartoon. The first, “The Mystery of Man-E-Faces,” featured an origin story for the character which was referenced in this action figure’s bio. His second and final episode was titled “The Shadow of Skeletor.”



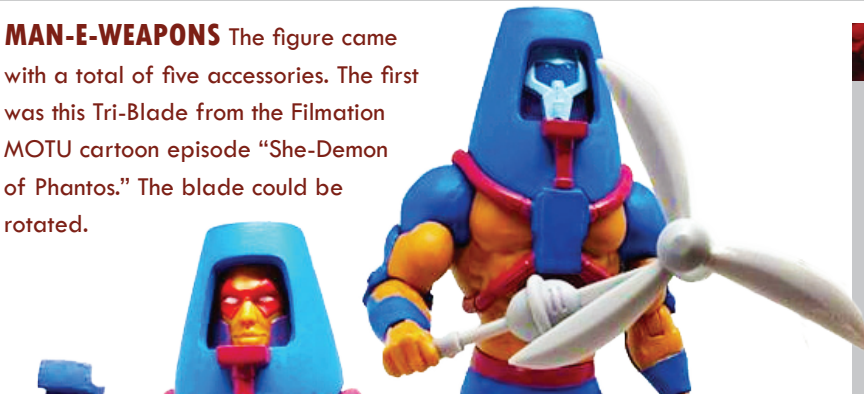
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HUMAN...ROBOT...MONSTER! Since the Filmation MOTU cartoon design of the character featured no dial on the top of the head for switching faces, the figure’s faces had to be rotated directly.

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MAN-E-WEAPONS The figure came with a total of five accessories. The first was this Tri-Blade from the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode “She-Demon of Phantos.” The blade could be rotated.



GUNS OUT The gray gun was a Vaporizer from the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode “The Once and Future Duke.”



READY, AIM The orange gun was simply an animated re-design of the weapon that came with the vintage Man-E-Faces figure.



STING LIKE A BEE The Sting Lance was from the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode “Disappearing Dragons.”

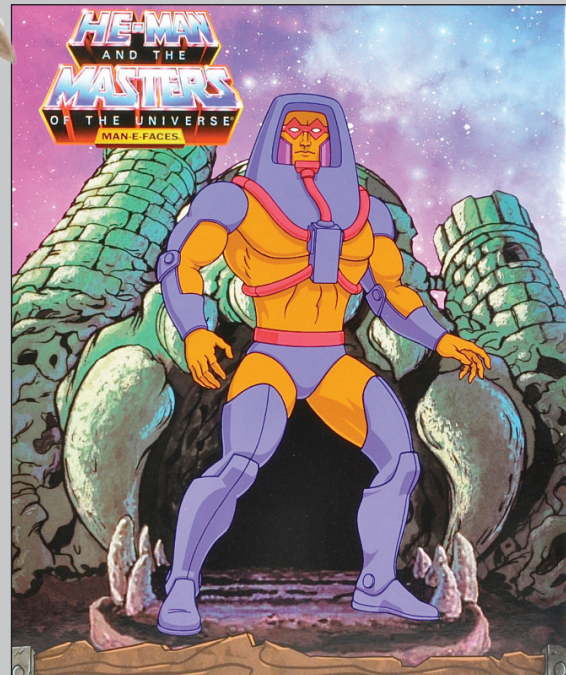


DOUBLE TROUBLE Lastly, the Kcotae Lazer, from the episode “She-Demon of Phantos,” featured two handles, allowing it to be used as either a gun or a blade.



TRIVIA

The inclusion of so many accessories was a nod to the vintage “Man-E-Weapons” figure (see page 131).



The back of the figure’s box featured an illustration of Man-E-Faces standing in front of the Castle Grayskull.



Club Grayskull MER-MAN



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BIO Mer-Man, the Ocean Warlord, is by far the least-liked servant of Skeletor. Aside from being uncharismatic and a coward in the field of battle, he seeks no allies amongst his fellow Evil Warriors, and will often strike out on his own. He once even overthrew the entire city of Aquatica. He remains loyal to Skeletor in the hope that the Evil Lord of Destruction will one day grant him a leadership role. Mer-Man's ability to communicate with and control water-based creatures and monsters makes him highly useful to Skeletor.



CARTOON CORNER Mer-Man was of course one of the most prominent Evil Warriors in the Filmation MOTU cartoon, making appearances in numerous episodes, including the series debut. His animated appearance differed greatly from his vintage action figure, however, giving many fans a desire for a screen-accurate Mer-Man action figure. Super7 finally delivered one as part of their Club Grayskull line in late 2018.



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GUNS OUT The gray gun accessory was a recreation of a similar weapon used by Mer-Man in the Filmation MOTU cartoon series.



GET THE POINT Mer-Man's spear was also based on a weapon he used in the Filmation MOTU cartoon series, but was inexplicably colored purple instead of a more screen-accurate gray.

EN GARDE This sword was not based on any weapon Mer-Man used on the Filmation MOTU cartoon series, but was instead an update of the sword that came with the vintage Mer-Man action figure.



COMPARISON TIME Club Grayskull Mer-Man (center) is shown here standing between the original release MOTUC Mer-Man figure, which came with two different head sculpts (vintage toy on the left, vintage card-back art on the right).

TRIVIA

Mer-Man's upper chest and neck were actually a sculpted part of his armor and not a part of the figure itself.



The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of Mer-Man standing in front of Snake Mountain.



Club Grayskull SORCERESS



BIO The threat of evil on Eternia saw a young woman named Teela Na transformed into the Sorceress, the guardian of Castle Grayskull. As was foretold, the Sorceress endured much sadness in her life. Her husband was killed defending Eternia, and she subsequently had to surrender her daughter Teela to keep her from danger. She longs for the day when she can reveal her true identity to Teela. Until then, the guardian of Castle Grayskull watches over Eternia, poised to summon He-Man in times of need.



CARTOON CORNER The Sorceress is one of the most prominent characters in the MOTU mythos. She played a hugely prominent role in the Filmation MOTU cartoon, appearing in the show's opening credits, featuring in countless episodes, and being among the few characters who knew He-Man's secret identity. While the previously-released MOTUC Sorceress figure took its design cues from both the Filmation series and the vintage action figure, the Club Grayskull version of the Sorceress sought to more accurately recreate her small screen design.



ACCESSORIES



BUST A MOVE Unlike the MOTUC version of the Sorceress, this figure's arm articulation was not restricted by having permanently-attached wings. This allowed the CG version of the Sorceress to have more natural-looking forward-arm poses.

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WING NUT The Sorceress came with two sets of wings. The first set depicted the wings in their downward position. This soft plastic piece pegged into the figure's back and forearms.



TAKING FLIGHT This second piece, which also pegged into the figure's back and forearms, depicted the Sorceress' wings in an outstretched position.



FOR THE BIRDS This newly-sculpted Zoar figure, designed after the falcon's appearance in the Filmation MOTU cartoon, was included with the Sorceress, along with a red perch.

PREDECESSOR An alternate head sculpt was included with the Sorceress, transforming the figure into Kuduk Ungol, Teela Na's predecessor as the Sorceress of Castle Grayskull. The character appeared in a single Filmation MOTU episode, "Origin of the Sorceress," and was never seen again.



ALTERNATE VIEWS The Sorceress appeared to utilize Club Grayskull Teela's legs, boots, and feet. It is noteworthy that the Sorceress lacked a bicep swivel, which was otherwise standard for the toyline.

TRIVIA

The Sorceress and Hawke were the only MOTUC figures that included alternate heads that transformed them into a totally different character.



The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of the Sorceress standing in front of Castle Grayskull.



Club Grayskull TUNG LASHOR



BIO Tung Lashor is the very definition of underling. He is hunched under the pressure of whomsoever his master may be. This snake man often uses his tongue to carry out simple tasks, much to the disgust of his allies. After having witnessed Modulok defect, Tung Lashor and his fellow crony, Rattlor, left the service of Skeletor and allied themselves with the Evil Horde. Hordak enjoys having Tung Lashor around as the foul creature displays sycophantic eagerness to please his master.



CARTOON CORNER Even though the vintage Tung Lashor figure was released in the MOTU toylines, the character made his animated debut in the Filmation POP cartoon, appearing not as a member of the Snake Men, but as a member of the Evil Horde. This double affiliation was explained in the figure's bio on the back of its box. Tung Lashor's animated appearance was based on an early design concept, which differed greatly from the character's final action figure design.

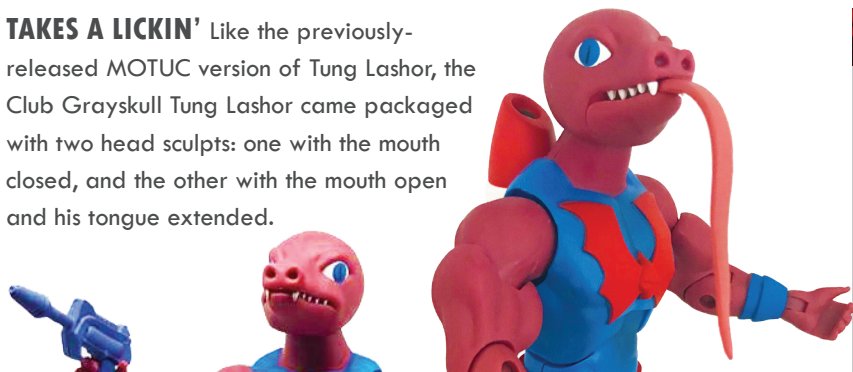


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TAKES A LICKIN' Like the previously-released MOTUC version of Tung Lashor, the Club Grayskull Tung Lashor came packaged with two head sculpts: one with the mouth closed, and the other with the mouth open and his tongue extended.



GUNS OUT Tung Lashor's pistol appeared to be a newly-designed piece without any precedence in any prior media.



UP, UP AND AWAY Tung Lashor's jet-pack, which pegged into the figure's back, was based on a jetpack the figure utilized in a Filmation POP cartoon episode.



COMPARISON TIME Club Grayskull Tung Lashor (above, left) standing alongside the original MOTUC Tung Lashor figure (above, right).

TRIVIA

Tung Lashor's chest armor was a permanent part of his newly-sculpted torso and was therefore not removable.



The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of Tung Lashor standing in front of the Fright Zone.



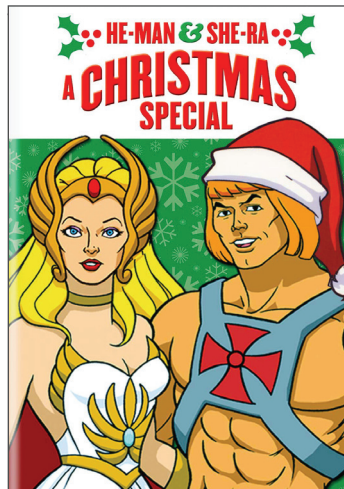
Club Grayskull HOLIDAY HE-MAN



ACCESSORIES



HAPPY HOLIDAYS! The week of Thanksgiving 2018, Super7 announced via social media that they would be releasing a special figure on Cyber Monday. Fans were surprised, as not only had there had been no prior leaks of an upcoming figure, but this figure was already produced and ready to ship, with no pre-order necessary. A few days later, Super7 released an image of He-Man's hand, holding up a candy cane-colored Power Sword. Finally, the day before the sale began, the figure was revealed in full: a Club Grayskull He-Man figure wearing a Santa hat and armed with a white-and-red striped Sword of Power. The figure went up for sale on Cyber Monday (November 26) and sold out immediately.



'TIS THE SEASON This figure appeared to be based on an illustration of He-Man created for one of the DVD releases of *He-Man & She-Ra: A Christmas Special*, which was created by Filmation and aired in syndication in 1985. This illustration (left) depicted He-Man wearing a Santa Claus hat along with his typical armor — an outfit he never wore in the special itself. Note that not all DVD editions of the special utilized this illustration.

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MINTY FRESH Holiday He-Man's only accessory was the Filmation version of the Sword of Power, molded in pearlescent white plastic with red stripes, resembling a candy cane. The mold for this sword was originally released with the Club Grayskull He-Man figure.

LET IT SNOW! The outer box for the figure was similar to the packaging previously used on other Club Grayskull figures, except here the ground before Castle Grayskull was snow-covered and there was a wreath on the door.



THAT'S A WRAP The figure came gift-wrapped in special Masters of the Universe wrapping paper along with a gift tag featuring a snowman Orko. This wrapping paper, which was illustrated by Earl Norem, was originally created and released in the Winter 1988 issue of the *Masters of the Universe Magazine*. The paper featured He-Man wrapping a present; She-Ra, Orko and Extendar decorating a tree; King Randor and Teela (in her snake armor) building a snowman; Clamp Champ and Snout Spout

riding in a sled; and the Sorceress, Blade, Skeletor, Rokkon, Man-At-Arms, and Cringer singing carols. Super7 later made rolls of this paper available for separate purchase.

WINTER WONDERLAND While previous Club Grayskull figures were given a brief bio, Holiday He-Man did not come with one. Instead he was given an illustration where he was seen wielding his candy cane sword while donning his Santa hat and standing in the snow.



TRIVIA

Holiday He-Man's hat was not removable, but was a permanent part of the figure's head sculpt.



The figure's only new part was his head. His body, armor and sword all came from the Club Grayskull He-Man figure.

While Club Grayskull He-Man was given a special side-to-side hinge wrist for his iconic "sword aloft" pose, Holiday He-Man was given the standard up-and-down hinge wrist instead.

When Super7 indicated that this figure was going to be Christmas-themed, many fans speculated that it would be Prince Adam in a Santa Claus costume as he was seen in *He-Man & She-Ra: A Christmas Special*. Such a figure would have obviously required much more tooling than Holiday He-Man did. Others speculated that the figure would be a smiling Skeletor with a pack-in Relay figure, also based on the Christmas special. Regardless, the release of Holiday He-Man revealed a desire among fans for a release of Santa Adam and Skeletor/Relay, as well as rolls of the Earl Norem wrapping paper.



Club Grayskull Ultimate Edition

HE-MAN



BIO Imbued with the power of Castle Grayskull, He-Man uses his great strength to protect Eternia and foil the various deadly schemes and machinations of Skeletor. Sworn to protect Castle Grayskull from all those who seek out its power, the most powerful man in the universe displays both the dignity and honor that his duty demands. Whilst He-Man's physical strength is without equal, he also possesses great wisdom and a deep-rooted sense of morality. He-Man is a testament to the strength and endurance, both mentally and physically, that a true hero possesses.

BACKGROUND Super7's "Ultimate Edition" Club Grayskull He-Man was a re-release of the original Club Grayskull He-Man that Mattel had produced in January of 2016. Released alongside an "Ultimate Edition" Club Grayskull Skeletor, there were several key differences between this figure and its predecessor.



COMPARISON

TIME The original Club Grayskull He-Man (far left) is shown here beside the "Ultimate Edition" CG He-Man. Noteworthy differences between the two figures are called out below.

ACCESSORIES



Original

- Painted face
- Matte plastic
- Removable armor
- Posable scabbard
- Up and down hinged right wrist allowed for "sword aloft" posing
- Longer loin cloth
- Poorly designed ankle articulation

Ultimate

- Unpainted face
- Shiny plastic
- Non-removable armor
- Scabbard glued in place
- Side-to-side hinged right wrist did not allow for "sword aloft" posing
- Shorter (more cartoon-accurate) loin cloth
- Improved ankle articulation



Original ankles



Ultimate Edition ankles

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I HAVE THE POWER! “Ultimate Edition” Club Grayskull He-Man came with the same Filmation MOTU cartoon-inspired Power Sword that the original CG He-Man had, only this time it was cast in a lighter gray plastic.

AXE TO GRIND The design for this axe, unique to the “Ultimate Edition” CG He-Man figure, was based on a concept design sketch by Mark Taylor for the vintage MOTU toyline.



SHIELD ME This shield appeared to be based on a weapon used by Prince Adam in the Filmation MOTU episode “She-Demon of Phantos.” It also looked quite similar to a shield carried by He-Man in an animated toy commercial produced by Mattel in the early 1980s.

DOMO ARIGATO This alternate head depicted the robotic version of He-Man that was built by Man-At-Arms in the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode “Disappearing Act.”



FAKE OUT This alternate head, which featured glow-in-the-dark eyes, depicted Faker as he appeared in the Filmation MOTU cartoon episode “The Shaping Staff.”

LOL The “laughing” He-Man head was originally released with the Laughing Prince Adam figure in July of 2018.

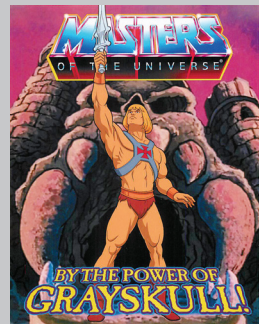


TRIVIA

“Ultimate Edition” Club Grayskull He-Man was only missing the stone block sword holder that came with the original Club Grayskull He-Man.



Instead of shipping in a box like previous Club Grayskull figures, this figure came on a card reminiscent of packaging from the vintage toyline.



The figure’s bio was not featured on the back of the packaging, but was instead printed on an insert card with artwork of He-Man on one side and the bio (“written” by Scrollos) on the other side.

Cardback art



PRINCE ADAM™ calls upon the power within CASTLE GRAYSKULL™ to become HE-MAN™, the most powerful man in the universe...



Club Grayskull Ultimate Edition SKELETOR



BIO Skeletor, demon from another dimension, was once a member of an intergalactic army known as The Evil Horde. He betrayed his master, Hordak, and set his goal on the conquest of the planet Eternia, whilst assembling a group of warriors to serve him. Over the years, Skeletor has proven himself to be a wickedly cruel villain who takes great joy in seeing suffering and pain by preying on the weak and innocent. Despite the constant presence of He-Man, the Lord of Destruction remains vigilant in his quest to gain the power of Castle Grayskull.

BACKGROUND Super7's "Ultimate Edition" Club Grayskull Skeletor was a re-release of the original Club Grayskull Skeletor that Mattel had produced in June of 2016. There were several key differences, however, between this figure and its predecessor.



COMPARISON

TIME The original Club Grayskull Skeletor (far left) is shown here beside the "Ultimate Edition" CG Skeletor. Noteworthy differences between the two figures are called out below.

ACCESSORIES



Original

- Inside of hood unpainted
- Matte plastic
- Removable armor
- "Demon" hands
- Lighter purple color scheme
- Poorly designed ankle articulation

Ultimate

- Inside of hood painted black
- Shiny plastic
- Non-removable armor
- Standard human hands
- Darker purple color scheme
- Improved ankle articulation



Original ankles



Ultimate Edition ankles

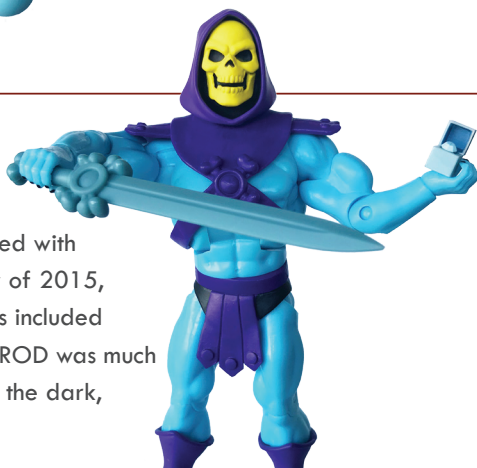
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WELL STAFFED “Ultimate Edition” Club Grayskull Skeletor came with the same Filmation MOTU cartoon-inspired Havoc Staff that the original CG Skeletor had, only this time it was cast in a lighter purple plastic.



ARMED TO THE TEETH While Skeletor’s bone sword and the Diamond Ray of Disappearance had both been previously released with the Lizard Man figure in January of 2015, both versions of these accessories included here were newly sculpted. The DROD was much smaller here and did not glow in the dark, unlike its predecessor.



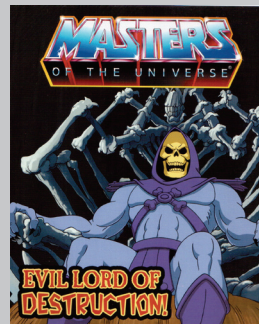
LAUGHING MATTER Skeletor came with an alternate head that depicted the villain in his iconic “head-thrown-back-laughing” pose seen frequently in the Filmation MOTU cartoon.

TRIVIA

“Ultimate Edition” Club Grayskull Skeletor was only missing the mini-comics inspired sword that came with the original Club Grayskull Skeletor.



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Club Grayskull SHE-RA



ACCESSORIES



BIO After she obtained the Sword of Protection, Adora fulfilled her destiny and was transformed into She-Ra, the Princess of Power. Leading the small but ever-growing Great Rebellion into battle, She-Ra attempts to thwart the intergalactic empire known as The Evil Horde from overthrowing Etheria. She-Ra also guards the secret of Light Hope, a magical spirit that dwells within the Crystal Castle. While she may be the most powerful woman in the universe, She-Ra brings to the oppressed people of Etheria one thing above all else: hope.

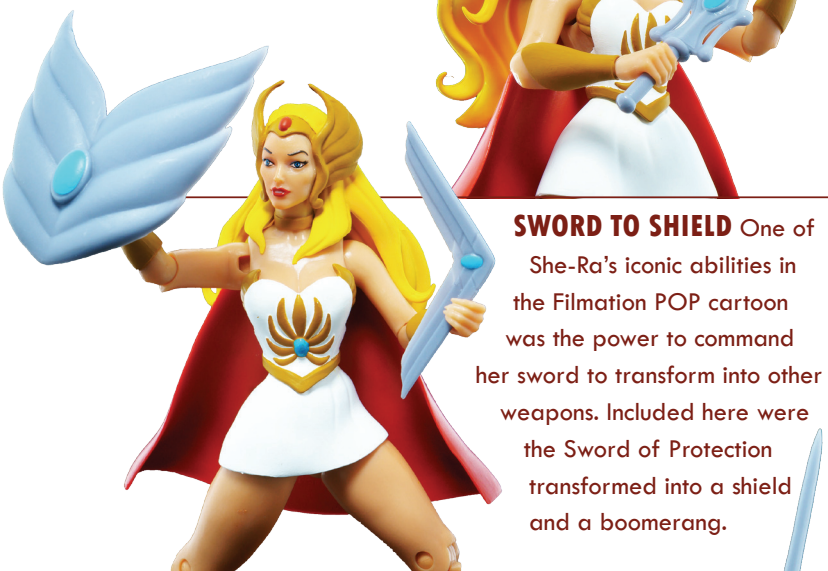


CARTOON CORNER While the original MOTUC She-Ra figure, first released in June of 2010, was based more on her Filmation POP cartoon appearance than her vintage action figure, this version of She-Ra, released in the Club Grayskull line, attempted to even more closely replicate her iconic animated design.



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FOR THE HONOR No figure of She-Ra is complete without her Sword of Protection. The accessory included here was based on its design in the Filmation POP cartoon.



SWORD TO SHIELD One of She-Ra's iconic abilities in the Filmation POP cartoon was the power to command her sword to transform into other weapons. Included here were the Sword of Protection transformed into a shield and a boomerang.

UP, UP, AND AWAY She-Ra's cape, which was made of a soft, flexible red plastic, was not removable.



COMPARISON TIME

Club Grayskull She-Ra (far left) is shown standing alongside the original MOTUC She-Ra figure (left).

TRIVIA

Like Club Grayskull Sorceress, She-Ra lacked bicep twist articulation but instead had hinge-and-swivel elbows.



WORK OF ART The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of She-Ra standing in front of the Crystal Castle.



Club Grayskull FISTO



BIO Fisto once served Skeletor and ruled a part of Eternia with a literal iron fist. Turning his back on the Lord of Destruction, Fisto allied himself with He-Man, and has since proven to be one of the most powerful forces for good on Eternia. Aside from strength comparable to He-Man's, Fisto's main power lies in his large metal right hand, which is capable of destroying anything in its path. Fisto is famously loyal and dependable, feeling that he owes a great debt to those that saved him from a lifetime of evil.



CARTOON CORNER This action figure of Fisto, released as part of the Club Grayskull line, was of course based on the character's appearance in the classic Filmation MOTU cartoon. Fisto appeared in a total of four episodes of the cartoon series beginning in the second season. Many of the details in the figure's bio were taken from the character's debut cartoon episode, "Fisto's Forest" (episode 70).



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ETERNIAN PUNCH Club Grayskull Fisto's oversized fist lacked the silvery finish of the Classics Fisto, but the gray was faithful to the Filmation MOTU cartoon look.



EN GARDE While Fisto never used a sword in his Filmation MOTU cartoon appearances, this sword accessory, based on the vintage action figure's blade, was redesigned as it might have appeared in the cartoon series.

COMPARISON TIME

Club Grayskull Fisto (*immediate right*) standing alongside the original MOTUC Fisto figure (*far right*).



BATTLE READY Fisto's chest armor was a permanent part of his newly-sculpted torso and was therefore not removable.

TRIVIA

The back of the figure's box (*below*) featured an illustration of Fisto standing in front of the Castle Grayskull.



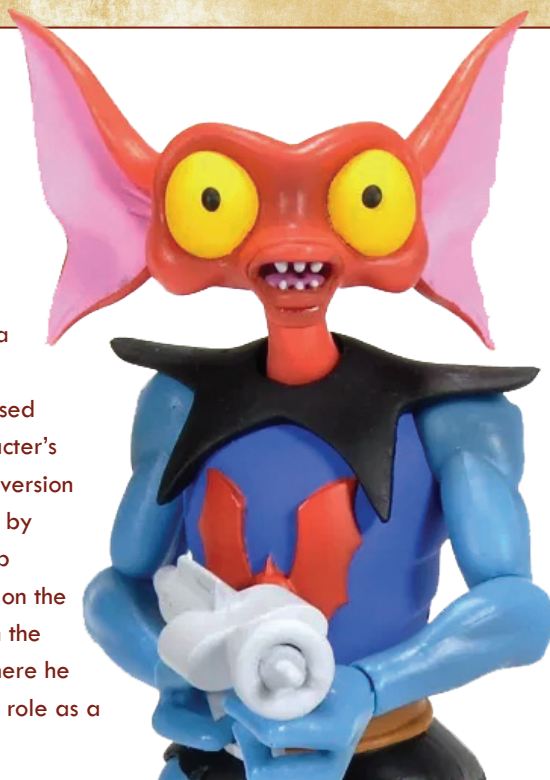
Club Grayskull MANTENNA



BIO Mantenna, who is by far the most bizarre-looking member of The Evil Horde, has the ability to telescope his eyes from their sockets. Once extended, his eyes have the ability to shoot a variety of beams that can overpower an enemy in mere seconds. Although Hordak takes great pleasure in mistreating Mantenna, his shrill-voiced underling has often proven himself capable of leading patrols of Horde Troopers against the oppressed people of Etheria. It is in these moments of dominance that Mantenna's cruelty shines through.



CARTOON CORNER The original MOTUC Mantenna figure, first released in October of 2013, was based on the design of the character's vintage action figure. This version of the character, released by Super7 as part of the Club Grayskull line, was based on the character's appearance in the Filmation POP cartoon, where he had a prominent recurring role as a member of the Evil Horde.



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GUNS OUT Mantenna's gun was based on a weapon he used in the Filmation POP cartoon.



EYE POPPING The figure came with an alternate head depicting the character's eye-extending ability. This alternate head also featured a more open mouth.



HE'S GOT LEGS

The figure sported four separate, fully articulated legs.



GIMME A HAND The figure came with two pairs of hands — one gripping and another more open.

COMPARISON

TIME Club Gray-skull Mantenna (far right) is shown here standing alongside the original MOTUC Mantenna figure (immediate right).



TRIVIA

Mantenna was the first figure in either Club Grayskull or Classics to come with a pair of swappable hands.



The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of Mantenna standing in front of the Fright Zone.



Club Grayskull GRIZZLOR



BIO With his great size, fearsome fangs, fur-covered body, and ferocious nature, Grizzlor is one of the most horrifying members of the Evil Horde. As the prison keeper of Hordak, it is his job to preside over the terrible dungeons of Beast Island, guarding the prisoners, whilst ensuring that the horrific beasts never leave. Grizzlor does not possess a great deal of intellect and is often mocked by his villainous allies, whilst his enemies often find simple ways of outwitting him in battle.



CARTOON CORNER The original MOTUC Grizzlor figure, first released in November of 2010, was based on the design of the character's vintage action figure. This version of the character, released by Super7 as part of the Club Grayskull line, was based on the character's appearance in the Filmation POP cartoon, where he had a frequently recurring role as a prominent member of the Evil Horde.



ACCESSORIES



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SIMPLY STUNNING Grizzlor's stun baton was based on a Horde weapon used in the Filmation POP cartoon.



SHIELD ME The figure's second accessory was this Horde-style shield. In spite of the figure's big, open hands, he was able to easily hold both accessories.



HAIR TODAY, GONE TOMORROW This was the first-ever figure release of Grizzlor that did not feature actual fur. This figure was given plastic fur in order to more closely replicate his on-screen cartoon appearance.

COMPARISON TIME Club Gray-skull Grizzlor (far right) is shown standing alongside the original MOTUC Grizzlor figure (immediate right).



TRIVIA

Beast Island, which was mentioned in this figure's bio, was also the title of the second episode of the Filmation POP cartoon.



WORK OF ART The back of the figure's box featured an illustration of Grizzlor standing in front of the Fright Zone.

